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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/720,125

Applicants: Chihiro FUJITA, et al.

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For: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, TRANSMITTING
APPARATUS AND TRANSMITTING METHOD,
RECEIVING APPARATUS AND RECEIVING
METHOD, UNBALANCE CODE MIXING METHOD
AND MULTIPLE CODE DECODING METHOD

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Examiner:

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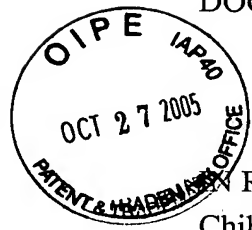
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Sir:

The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the
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A duplicate of this letter is enclosed for your convenience.

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